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SUBJECT: POMPIDOU STOPOVER IN TEHRAN

1. ON MORNING 18 SEPTEMBER QUERIED COURT MINISTER ALAM ABOUT PRESIDENT POMPIDOU'S STOPOVER IN TEHRAN MONDAY. ALAM INDICATED THAT HE DID NOT KNOW WHAT WAS DISCUSSED WHEN THE SHAH AND POMPIDOU TALKED PRIVATELY. IT WAS CLEAR THAT SHAH, AS IS NORMALLY HIS CUSTOM, HAD NO IRANIAN OFFICIAL PRESENT. THEREFORE ONLY CONTRIBUTION ALAM HAD TO MAKE WAS THAT THE SHAH HAD TOLD HIM THIS MORNING THAT HE WAS QUOTE PLEASED UNQUOTE WITH THE CONVERSATIONS.

2. BASED ON CHAT WHILE ESCORTING HIM TO AIRPORT, ALAM SAID THAT FRENCH PRESIDENT WAS WORRIED ABOUT RUSSIA, WAS CONCERNED AT NOT CAUSING OFFENSE THERE, AND WAS THEREFORE DESCRIBING HIS TRIP TO CHINA AS QUOTE EXPLORATORY UNQUOTE. POMPIDOU ALSO TOLD ALAM THAT HE AND THE SHAH QUOTE SHARED COMMON VIEWPOINTS ON MANY ISSUES UNQUOTE. POMPIDOU INDICATED THAT HE WAS GREATLY IMPRESSED WITH THE EXTENT OF THE SHAH'S KNOWLEDGE OF WORLD AFFAIRS AND HIS GRASP OF INTERNATIONAL PROBLEMS.

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